

## **Transfer Requirements Guide for UIC College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs – Moraine Valley Community College**

The Transfer Requirements Guide lists the courses that meet the general education requirements for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs.

The University of Illinois at Chicago College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs (CUPPA) offers an undergraduate program of study leading to the Bachelor of Arts, with a major in Urban and Public Affairs (UPA). Using the Chicago metropolitan region as a home for investigation, students will experience and analyze urban issues from many different academic and practical perspectives. After students complete most of their general education and other liberal arts and sciences requirements, they will take an interdisciplinary curriculum offered jointly by CUPPA's two academic programs: the Urban Planning and Policy Program and the Public Administration Program.

The UPA major is a pre-professional program that prepares students to enter urban professions and graduate programs. Students will gain the knowledge and understanding of the complexity and diversity of the urban environment as well as learn the policy and management processes that affect urban living. Graduating UPA students will enter careers in public and nonprofit service, commerce, real estate, or other city building activities. Students entering graduate education will be prepared to study in related fields such as public administration, urban planning, public health, law, public relations, international studies, sociology, political science, or peace and justice studies.

**Admission into the Urban and Public Affairs program is selective and competitive.**

### **Transfer Admission Requirements**

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**Admission to the B.A. Program in Urban Planning and Public Affairs requires junior standing (completion of at least 60 semester hours/90 quarter hours).** Transfer Applicants with fewer hours completed should select the Pre-Urban Planning and Public Affairs Advising Track in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Admission to the preprofessional program does not guarantee subsequent admission to the degree program.

**Minimum transfer requirements completed or in progress at time of application: (a) two courses in English composition (6 semester hours); (b) college credit in mathematics, logic, or statistics (3 semester hours); (c) one course in Analyzing the Natural World that includes a laboratory; (d) one course in microeconomics.** Additional transfer admission requirements include a minimum grade point average of 2.75/4.00 scale, a phone or personal interview, and a personal statement. The personal statement should be one to two pages, double spaced that includes information on your educational and career goals, detailing relevant academic and employment experience and your academic or professional interest in the UPA Bachelor's degree program.

**Supplemental application materials are required for admission to the degree program.** To request these materials, please contact the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs at (312)413-2292 or visit <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa/upa>

Please see <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa> for general information on the College, its two academic programs, and its seven research centers and institutes.

### **Course Selection Guidelines**

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**This guide is intended to assist students in completing the general education requirements for the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs. Most course work in the major is completed after transferring to UIC.**

1. Courses listed on this guide satisfy general education requirements. If a course is listed in more than one category, that course may only fulfill the requirement in one category.
2. UIC general education requirements changed beginning in Fall 2007. Transfer students who enroll at UIC in Fall 2009 or later will be required to follow the GE pattern adopted for Fall 2007.



**UNDERSTANDING THE CREATIVE ARTS: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Art	110	Art Appreciation
	205,206	Survey of Art
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	207	Survey of American Art
	209	Survey of Non-Western Art
Humanities	101,102	Western Humanities
	104	Non-Western Humanities
	120	Women in the Humanities
Literature	217	Intro. to Poetry
	218	Intro. to Drama
	220	Intro. to Fiction
	225	Shakespeare
	221,222	English Literature
	213,214	American Literature
	219	Women in Literature
	221,222	English Literature
	223,224	Western Literature
	226	Lit. of the Non-Western World
Music	106	Intro. to American Music
	107	Music Appreciation
Spanish	210	Spanish Culture & Civilization
	212	Latin Amer. Culture & Civ.
	213	Intro. to Hispanic Literature
Theater	105	Theater Appreciation
	107	Film Appreciation
	110	History of the Theater
	111	History of Film

**UNDERSTANDING THE PAST: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Anthropology	210	Intro. to Archaeology	
History	101,102	Western Civilization	
	201,202	American History	
	215	History of Africa	
	220	History of Latin America	
	230	History of the Middle East	
	105	The World Since 1945	
	250,251	Survey of British History	
	204	African-American History	
	207	Illinois & Local History	
	210	History of Asia	
	Humanities	101,102	Western Humanities
		115	World Mythology
	Theater	105	Theater Appreciation
110		History of the Theater	
111		History of Film	

**ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD: (4 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Biology	112	General Biology II
	211	Zoology
	212	Vertebrate Zoology

**ANALYZING THE NATURAL WORLD (cont.): (4 semester hours)**

Biology (cont.)	220	Ecology & Field Biology
	230	Botany
Chemistry	111	Fundamentals of Chemistry
	131	Chemistry I
	132	Chemistry II
Earth Science	120	Intro. to Earth Science
	125	Intro. to Weather & Climate
Geology	150	Physical Geology
	151	Historical Geology
Natural Science	111	Environmental Science I
	112	Environmental Science II
Physical Science	101	Physical Science
	103	Descriptive Astronomy
Physics	106,107	Fundamentals/Physics w/Lab
	110,111	Mechanical Universe I w/Lab
	112,113	Mechanical Universe II w/Lab
	203	Mechanics
	204	Heat, Electricity & Magnetism

**EXPLORING WORLD CULTURES: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Anthropology	202	Intro. to Cult. Anthropology
	210	Intro. to Archaeology
Art	209	Survey of Non-Western Art
Geography	101	Cultural Geography
	102	World Regional Geography
	201	Economic Geography
History	215	History of Africa
	220	History of Latin America
	230	History of the Middle East
	204	African-American History
	210	History of Asia
Humanities	104	Non-Western Humanities
	115	World Mythology
Literature	215,216	Bible as Literature
	226	Literature of the Non-Western World
Political Science	210	International Relations
	215	Comparative Government
	225	Non-Western Comparative Politics
Philosophy	120	World Religions
Spanish	210	Spanish Culture & Civilization
	212	Latin American Culture & Civ.
	213	Intro. to Hispanic Literature
Social Science	102	Social Science II

**UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY: (3 semester hours)**

(enter course as completed)

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Anthropology	205	North American Indians
Criminal Justice	101	Intro. to Criminal Justice
Economics	101	Macroeconomics
	102	Microeconomics

**UNDERSTANDING U.S. SOCIETY (cont.):** (3 semester hours)

History	201,202	American History
	207	Illinois & Local History
Literature	213,214	American Literature
Music	106	Intro. to American Music
Political Science	110	American National Govt.
Sociology	101	General Sociology
	102	Marriage & Family
	103	Sociology of Poverty
	201	Sociology of Health
	202	Aging in Cont. Society
	204	Sociology of Cont. Social Problems

**UNDERSTANDING THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY:** (3 semester hours)

(enter course as completed)

Anthropology	202	Intro. to Cultural Anthropology
	205	North American Indians
Communications	203	Interpersonal Comm.
Economics	101	Principles of Macroeconomics
	102	Principles of Microeconomics
Geography	101	Cultural Geography
	102	World Regional Geography
	201	Economic Geography
History	102	Western Civ. II
	250	Survey of British History I
	251	Survey of British History II
Humanities	120	Women in the Humanities
Journalism	101	Intro. to Mass. Comm.
Philosophy	101	Intro. to Philosophy
	125	Ethics
	115	Approaches to Truth
	120	World Religions
Political Science	110	American National Govt.
	215	Comparative Government
	210	International Relations
	103	Intro. to Political Science
	225	Non-Western Comparative Politics
Psychology	101	Intro. to Psychology
	205	Abnormal Psychology
	202	Social Psychology
Social Science	100	Contemporary Society
	101	Social Science I
	102	Social Science II
Sociology	101	General Sociology
	102	Marriage and Family
	201	Sociology of Health
	204	Sociology of Cont. Social Problems
	210	Minority Groups

**ADDITIONAL GENERAL EDUCATION:** (4-6 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)

**ELECTIVES:** (11 semester hours)

(enter courses as completed)